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National Weather Service Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



August 2001 Time Local/ Path Length Path Number of Estimated Width Persons Damage KANSAS, Extreme Southeast KSZ073-097-101 **Bourbon - Crawford - Cherokee** 0000CST 0 0 **Excessive Heat** The heat and humidity continued through the first part of August with heat indices averaging near 110 degrees. **Crawford County** Hepler 29 1655CST Thunderstorm Wind (G52) MISSOURI, Southwest MOZ055>058-066>071-Benton - Morgan - Miller - Maries - Vernon - St. Clair - Hickory - Camden - Pulaski - Phelps - Barton - Cedar - Polk -077>083-088>098-101>106 Dallas - Laclede - Texas - Dent - Jasper - Dade - Greene - Webster - Wright - Newton - Lawrence - Christian - Douglas -Howell - Shannon - Mcdonald - Barry - Stone - Taney - Ozark - Oregon **Excessive Heat** The heat and humidity continued into the first week of August with heat indices between 100 and 110 degrees for 9 consecutive days. In addition to heat related illnesses, two heat related deaths occurred in the Ozarks. F77PH, M3VE **Greene County** 1535CST 0 10K Springfield 09 Thunderstorm Wind (G52) Thunderstorm winds blew down a tree onto a house in northern Springfield. **Douglas County Twin Bridges** 10 1410CST 0 0 Hail (0.88) **Howell County** 1435CST O West Plains 10 0 10K Thunderstorm Wind (G52) Trees and power lines were blown down around the West Plains area. **Ozark County Tecumseh** 10 1445CST 0 Thunderstorm Wind (G52) Trees were blown down around Tecumseh. **Taney County** 0 **Protem** 10 1445CST 0 0 Hail (0.75) **Howell County Southeast Portion** 1525CST 2200CST 0 Flash Flood Significant flooding was observed around the West Plains area, especially along Howell Creek which runs through West Plains, and through the southeast part of the county. Law enforcement official reported numerous streets and roads flooded and impassable along Howell Creek for several hours. **Newton County** 0500CST 0700CST Neosho 12 Flash Flood Over two inches of rain fell in downtown Neosho in less than two hours. It caused Spring Street in the downtown area to flooded and partially closed. **Greene County** Strafford **17** 1235CST Thunderstorm Wind (G52) A large tree was blown down outside the Strafford post office. **Webster County** Northview 17 1300CST 0 0 0 Thunderstorm Wind (G52) Large trees were blown down at the Exotic Animal Paradise Park **Greene County**

Hail (1.25)



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Numerous low water crossings were flooded along the Brush and Clear Creeks in northwestern Benton County



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Location Date Standard (Miles) (Yards) Killed Injured Property Crops Character of Storm